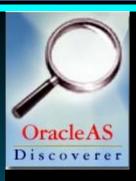


Discoverer Web for AQS

Bonnie Johnson

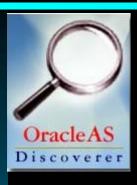


Goals for this class

- Introduce the Discoverer tool
- Learn how to connect to aqsprod with Discoverer Plus
- Learn how to create, save, open and delete workbooks
- Identify main features of a workbook, such as worksheets, items, and page items



 Learn where to go for help with additional features



What is Discoverer?

- A <u>business intelligence</u> tool for ad hoc queries, reporting, analysis, and Web publishing from Oracle Corporation
- A <u>retrieval only</u> tool that works on a relational database whether it's designed for online transaction processing (OLAP) or as a data warehouse

Why does Oracle think you'll want to use Discoverer?

Discoverer's powerful and intuitive user interface enables you to:

- find data that you know is in the database
- access data quickly without waiting for the computer to search through the entire database
- view data in a familiar spreadsheet-style format that is easy to read and understand
- analyze data using a variety of powerful techniques including:
 - drilling up and down through data
 - finding data that meets certain conditions or that falls within ranges that you specify
 - sorting data
 - comparing results from "what if" scenarios
- prepare reports showing the results of your analysis
- share data with others, and in other applications (e.g. Microsoft Excel)

Why do we think you'll want to use Discoverer?

It's the ad hoc query tool for AQS!

How many $PM_{2.5}$ monitors do we have? Are any of them inactive but not closed? Are other agencies in the same boat?



Boss (in Wyoming state) I'll get that information for you right away!



| | Screening Group Num | Screening Group Name | Monitor ID | Status Indicator | Last Sampling | ▶ Last Post Date | Created User | Created Date |
|----|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| 1 | 99 | WYOMING | 56-005-0877-88101-1 | Р | 29-JUN-2004 | 26-JUL-2004 | QRQ | 07-OCT-2002 |
| 2 | 99 | WYOMING | 56-005-0886-88101-1 | Р | - | - | QRQ | 28-AUG-2002 |
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| 4 | 99 | WYOMING | 56-005-0892-88101-1 | Р | 29-JUN-2004 | 26-JUL-2004 | QRQ | 25-SEP-2002 |
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| 8 | 99 | WYOMING | 56-013-1003-88101-2 | Р | 17-SEP-2004 | 26-JUL-2004 | QRQ | 06-MAY-2002 |
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Oracle Application Server Discoverer - [Inactive Monitors] - Microsoft Internet Explorer File Edit Sheet Tools Graph Help Inactive Monitors by Screening Group for State Code(s): '06, 01, 02, 04, 05, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 54, 55, 56' (Not reporting data but no Sampling End Date) as of 27-OCT-04 Pollutant: 88101 PM2.5 - LOCAL CONDITIONS -Page Items: # Days since last Screening Group Name ▶ Date Sampling Began ▶ Last Sampling Date Monitor ID recorded data 666 ALLEGHENY CO. PA 42-003-0008-88101-5 24-MAY-2000 31-DEC-2002 666 42-003-0064-88101-5 19-NOV-1999 31-DEC-2002 Count Distinct: 2 BAY AREA AQMD, CA 06-053-1003-88101-2 01-JAN-2000 12-AUG-2003 442 Count Distinct: 1 1029 CHATTANOOGA, TN 47-065-0032-88101-1 02-JAN-2002 05-JUN-1999 Count Distinct: 1 759 CLARK CO. NV 32-003-0022-88101-1 01-JAN-1999 29-SEP-2002 744 32-003-1019-88101-1 01-JAN-1999 14-OCT-2002 Count Distinct: 2 1309 COLORADO 15-NOV-1999 28-MAR-2001 08-031-0013-88101-1 08-077-0003-88101-1 06-JAN-1999 11-DEC-2003 321 11-DEC-2003 321 08-077-0003-88101-2 06-JAN-1999 Count Distinct: 3 303 CONN2 09-009-9005-88101-1 01-JAN-1999 29-DEC-2003 Page 1 of 2 > >> 100 Rows per Page 1

Sheet 1

Oracle Application Server Discoverer - [Inactive Monitors] - Microsoft Internet Explorer File Edit Sheet Tools Graph Help

Inactive Monitors by Screening Group for State Code(s): '06, 01, 02, 04, 05, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 53, 54, 55, 56'

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as of 27-OCT-04

Page Items: Pollutant: 88101 PM2.5 - LOCAL CONDITIONS -

| Screening Group Name | Monitor ID | ▶ Date Sampling Began | Last Sampling Date | # Days since last recorded data |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| SCAQMD, CA PM2.5 | 06-071-2002-88101-2 | 01-JAN-1999 | 01-OCT-2003 | 392 |
| | Count Distinct: 1 | | | |
| SOUTH DAKOTA | 46-103-0016-88101-3 | 01-APR-2001 | 31-DEC-2003 | 301 |
| | 46-103-0017-88101-1 | 01-JAN-1999 | 31-DEC-2002 | 666 |
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| UTAH | 49-049-4001-88101-2 | 22-MAR-2003 | 29-NOV-2003 | 333 |
| | 49-057-0007-88101-2 | 08-JUL-2003 | 06-OCT-2003 | 387 |
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| WYOMING | 56-013-1003-88101-1 | 15-NOV-2001 | 30-DEC-2001 | 1032 |
| | Count Distinct: 1 | | | |
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13, yes-1, yes-about 30 of them



Who can use Discoverer?

Registered AQS Users

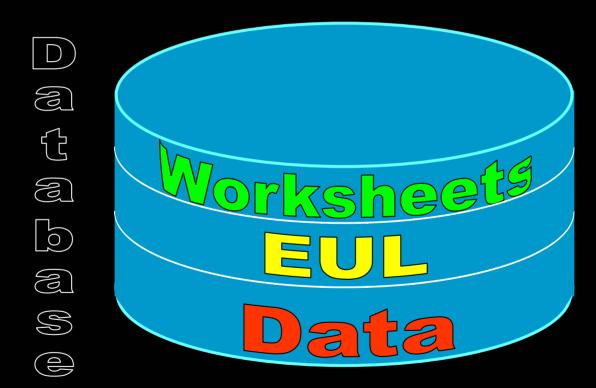
Discoverer Plus:

- Java-enabled Web browser
- Java Virtual Machine (JVM) such as Oracle JInitiator.

Discoverer Viewer:

- HTML through a Web browser
- JavaScript must be enabled in the browser.

How does this work?



End User Layer

Key Terminology

Interface to database Grouping of Tables Group of worksheets = Workbook

= End User Layer

= Business Area

Tables **Folders**

Columns Items

Records Rows

Queries Worksheets

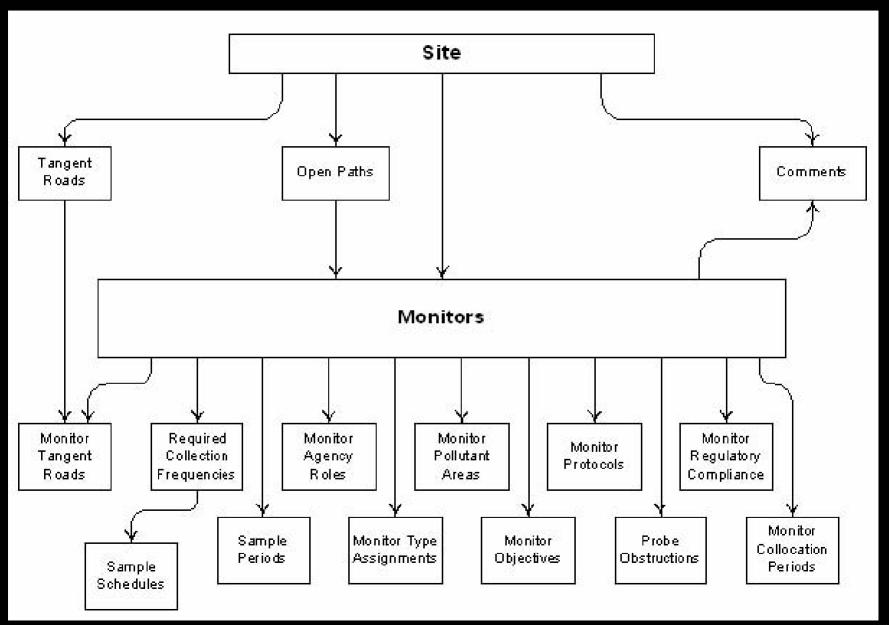
Your Business Area

AQS Basic

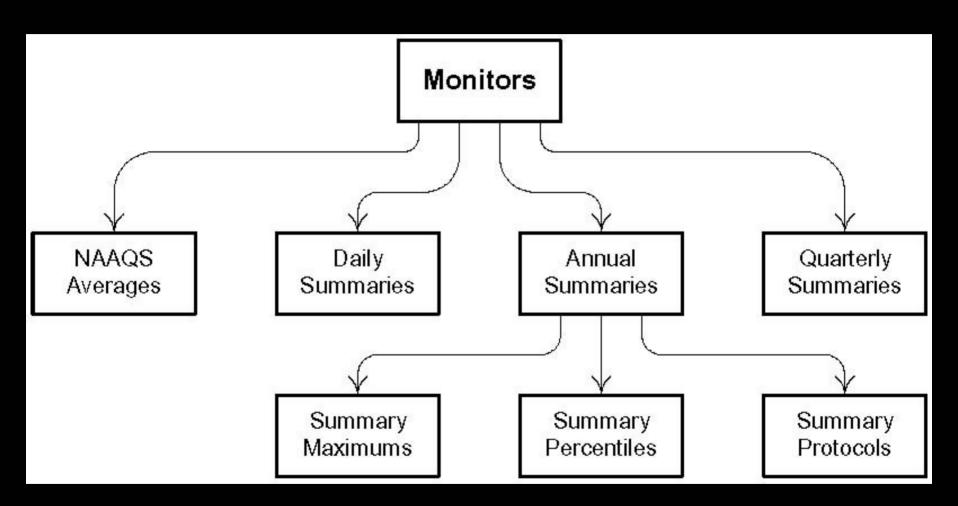
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 Reference tables (e.g., States, Parameters)

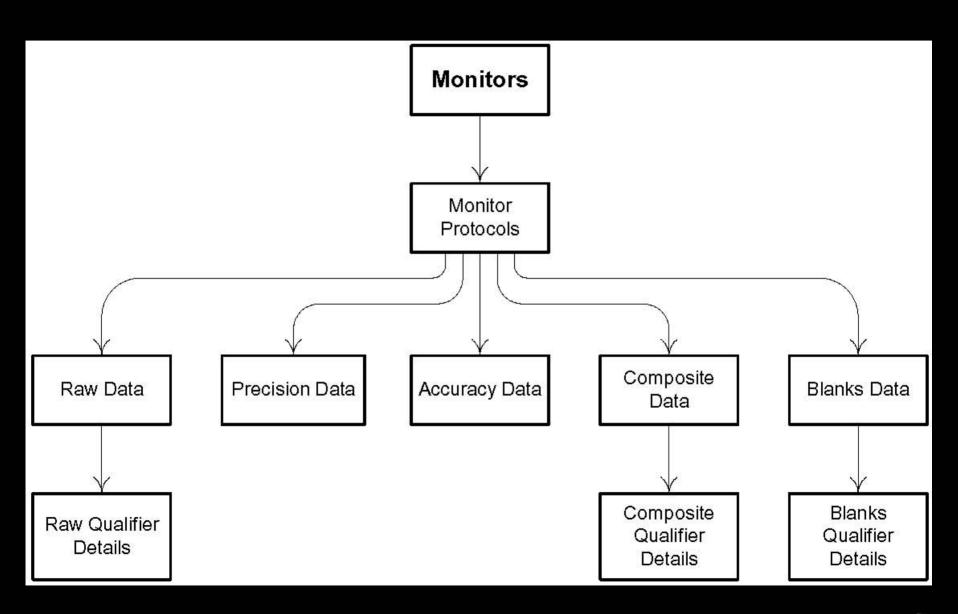
Data Model for **AQS**



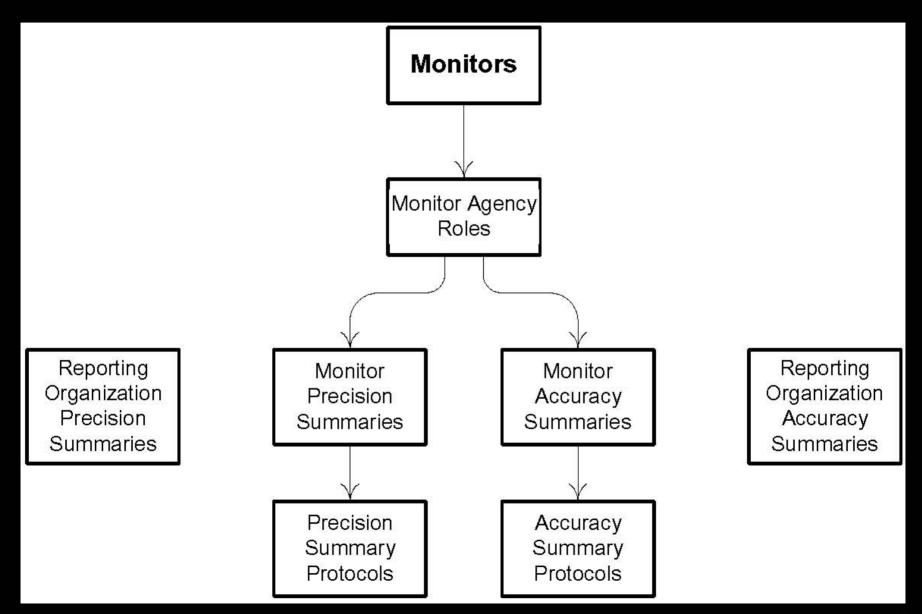
Data Model for AQS, cont'd



Data Model for AQS, cont'd



Data Model for AQS, cont'd



Starting Discoverer Plus from

http://www.epa.gov/ttn/airs/airsags/

http://www.epa.gov/ttn/airs/airsaqs/aqsweb/aqswebhome.htm

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AQS Web Home

Welcome to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Air Quality System (AQS). AQS has been migrated and deployed on the Web to eliminate the installation and updates of the AQS software on users' machines and to eliminate the need for the SecuRemote software

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

First Time Users: There is a one-time initial setup needed to access the AQS Web application. Click the following link for AQS Initial Setup. You may also find this AQS Web User Guide 🎏 helpful.

The Computer based training module for the AQS Web is designed for new as well as experienced users. It allows users to work with the real system while going through the tutorials. (This module is similar to the one for the client/server version of

Save the Quick Ref Guide for AQS Web To for use once you're familiar with the system

AQS Web Change Log: Description of modifications made to the AQS Web application

Use the following Links to Access AQS or CDX application directly. You can also access CDX while you are in AQS. NOTE: At this stage, access using each application directly will require you to login each time.

Launch Applications

Proceed to AQS

Proceed to CDX

If you need assistance accessing any of the material in AQS, User Support is provided through the EPA Call Center. The toll free number is 866.411.4EPA (866-411-4372). Please contact them first with any questions about using the AQS application.

AQS Web Discoverer

Access to the AQS database via Oracle Discoverer Plus for registered AQS users: https://iasint.rtpnc.epa.gov/discoverer/plus

AQS Discoverer Web User Guide T is available (1849KB)



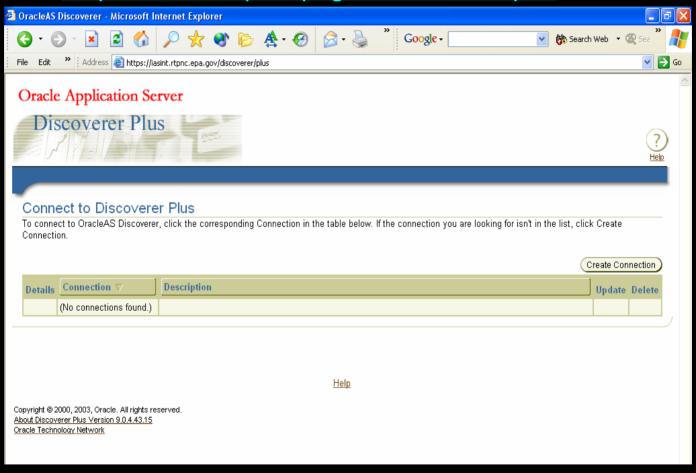
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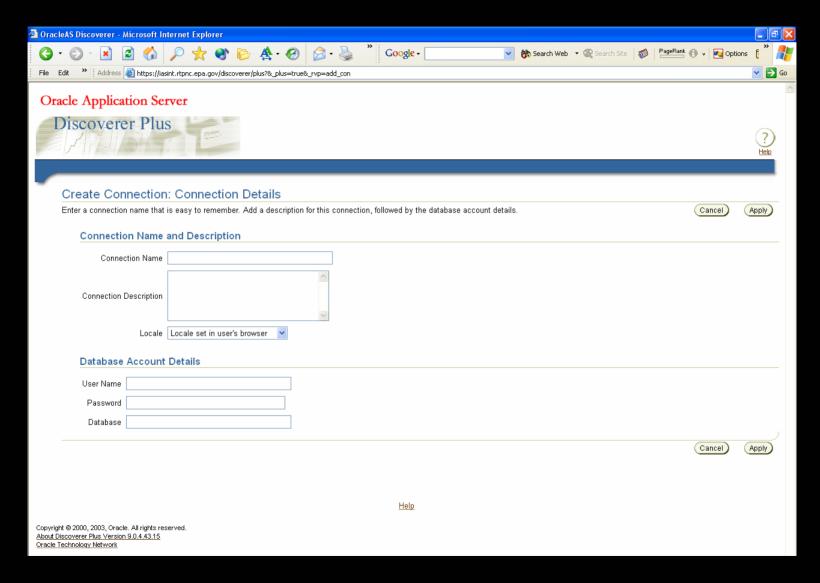


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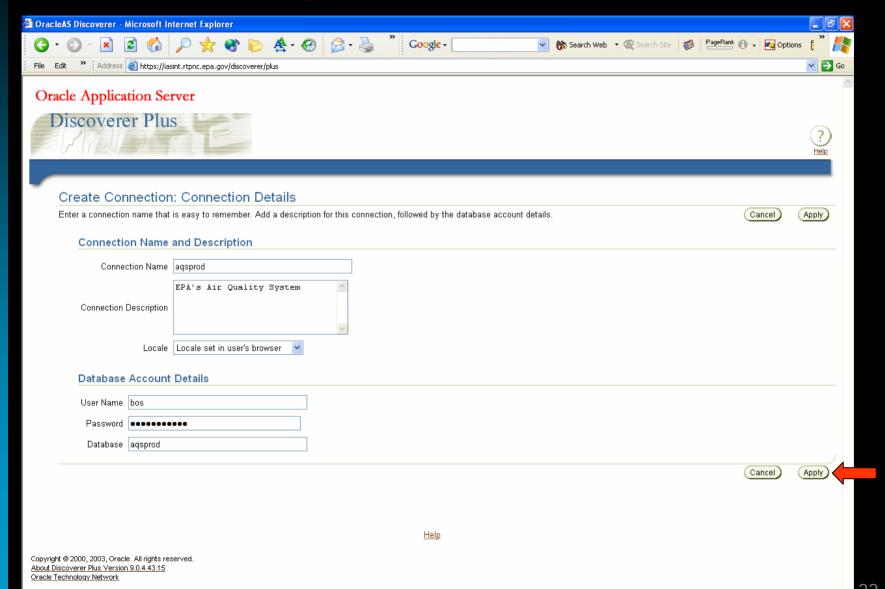
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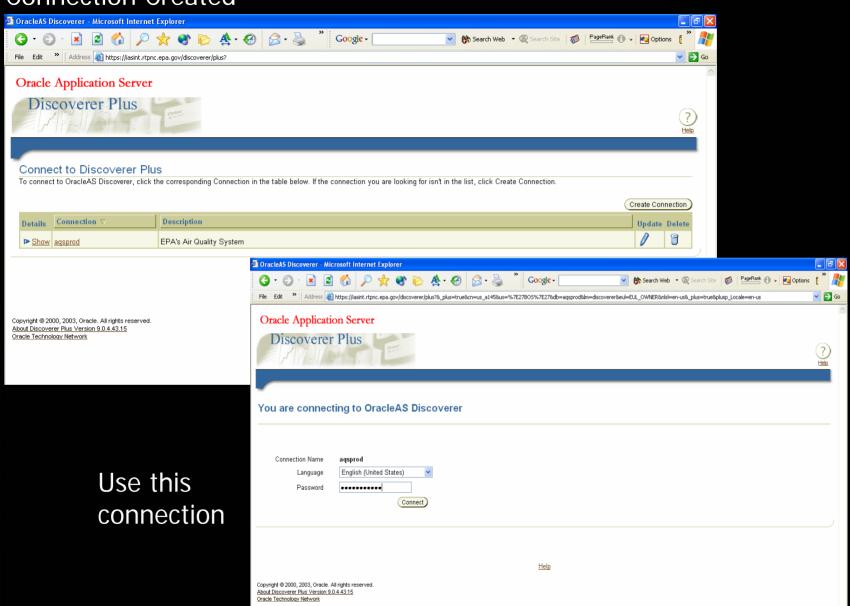
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Create a Connection, cont'd

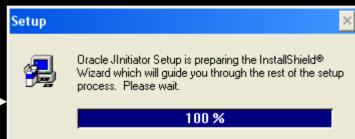


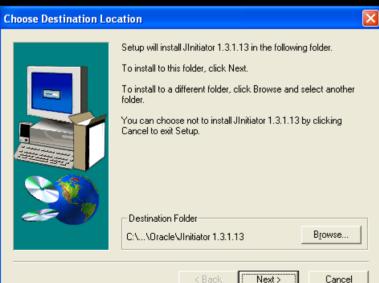
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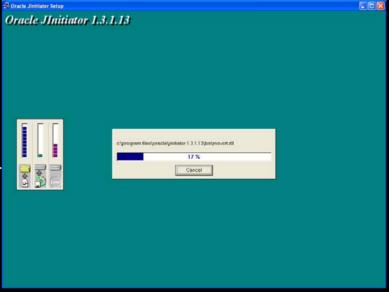


Starting Discoverer for the 1st time on your PC

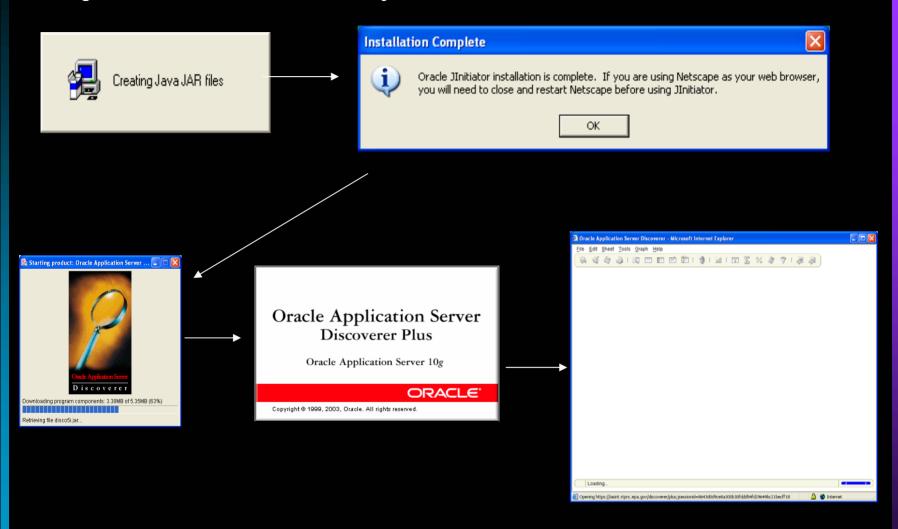




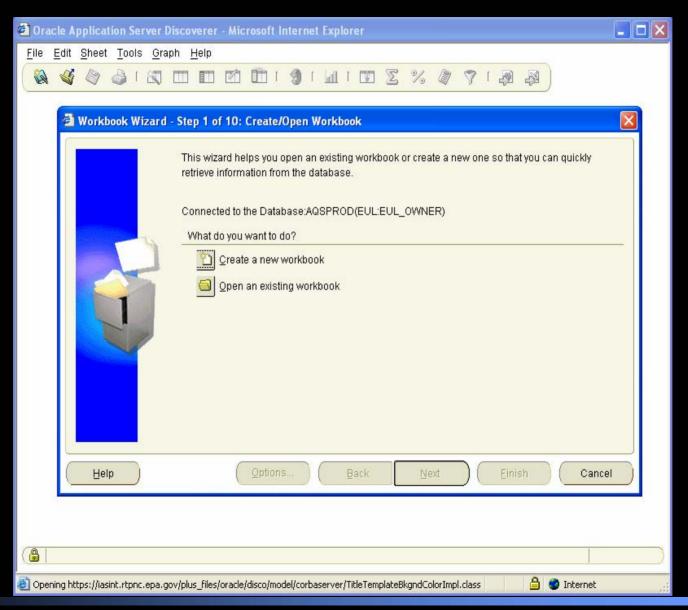




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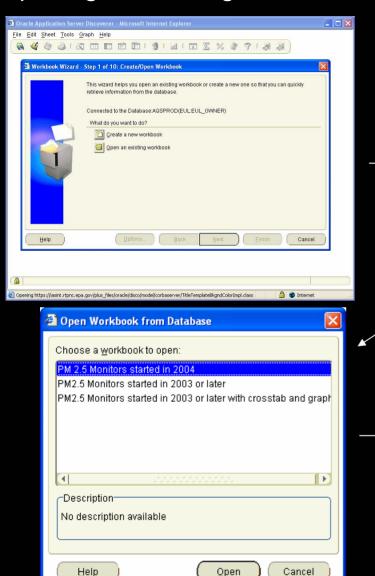
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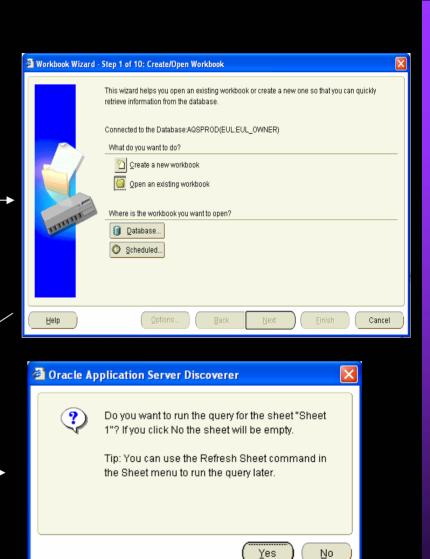


Exercise 1

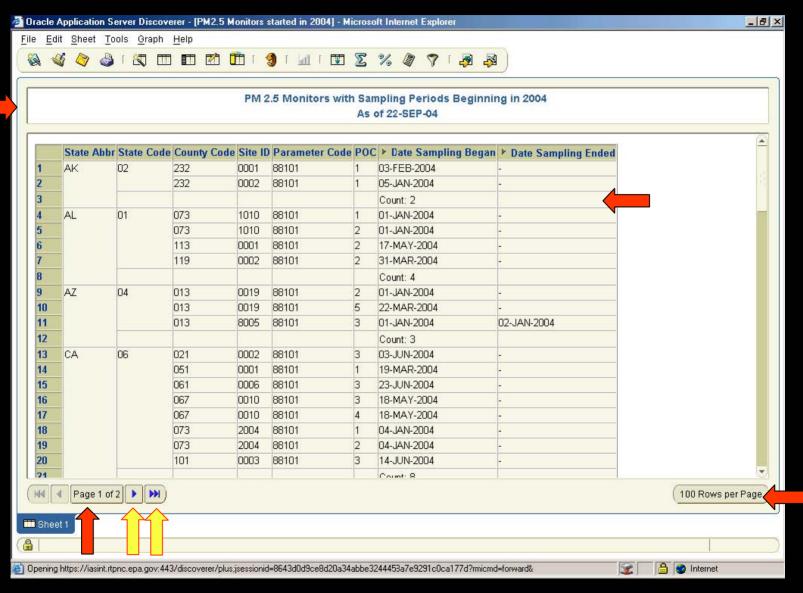
- 1. Launch a web browser
- 2. Go to https://iasint.rtpnc.epa.gov/discoverer/plus
- 3. Create your connection
- 4. Connect

Opening an Existing Workbook

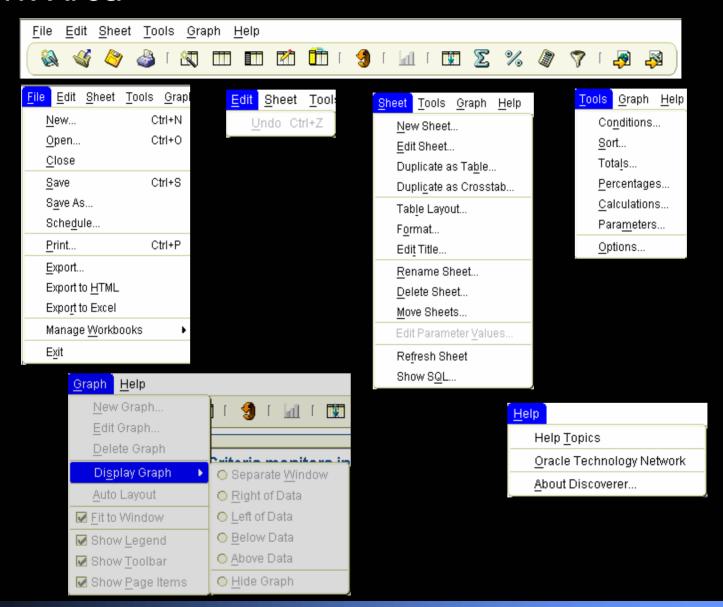




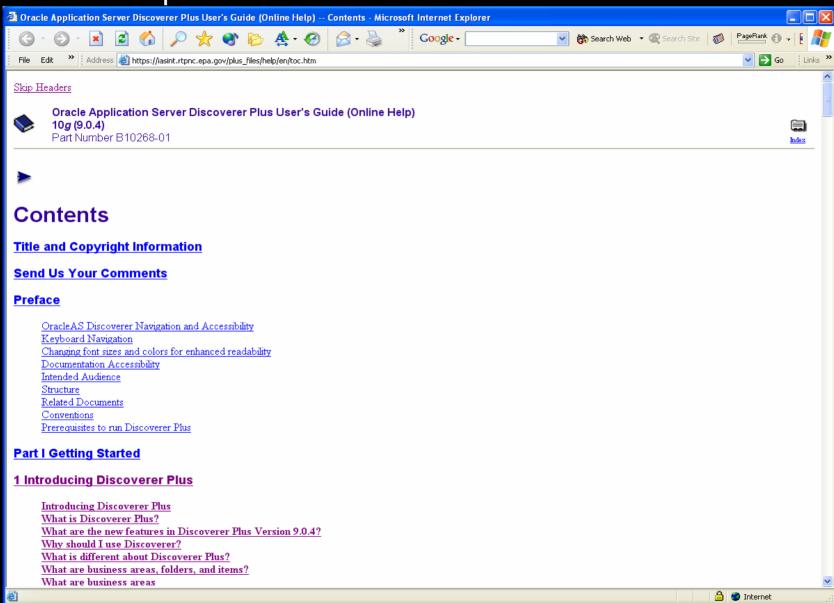
Opening an Existing Workbook



Work Area



Online Help



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Exercise 2

- Connect
- Open an existing workbook in the AQS Basic business area ("PM 2.5 Monitors started in 2004")
- Run the workbook

Using the Workbook Wizard to Create a New Workbook

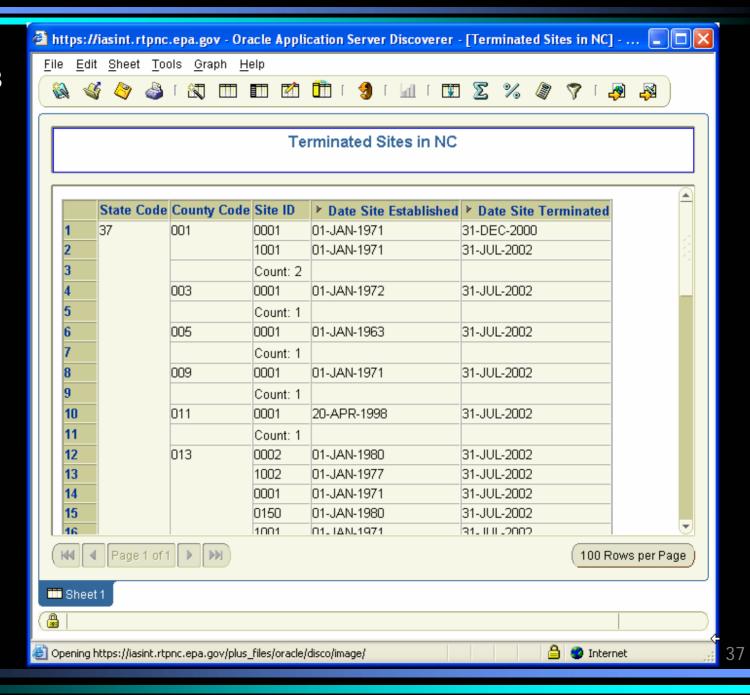
Goal:

- 1. Find all PM 2.5 monitors with sampling dates beginning in 2004.
- 2. Sort the results by state abbreviation, county, site, and POC.
- Display start date and end date (if any) for sampling periods
- 4. Display count of monitors in each state.
- 5. Add an appropriate title
- 6. Save the workbook on the database.

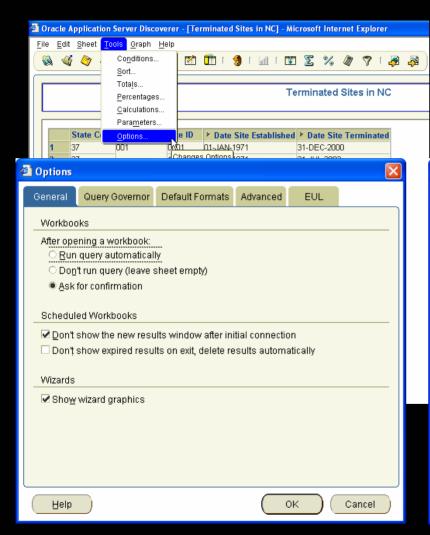
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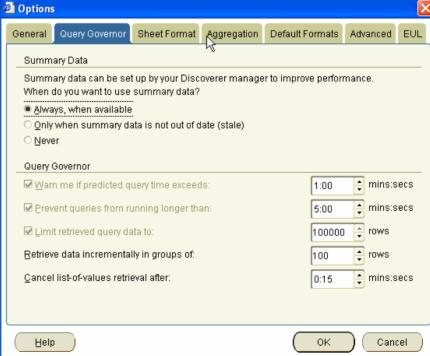
- 1. List all sites in your state that have been terminated. For each row, show the state code, county code, site ID, date site created and date site terminated.
- 2. Add a title.
- 3. Include a count of the number of sites that have been terminated for each county and a grand total at the bottom.

Exercise 3 sample results

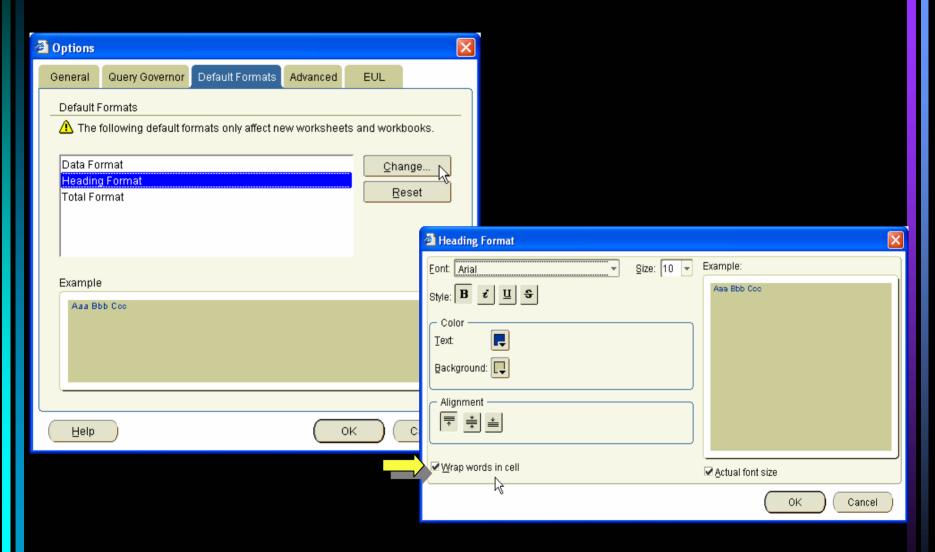


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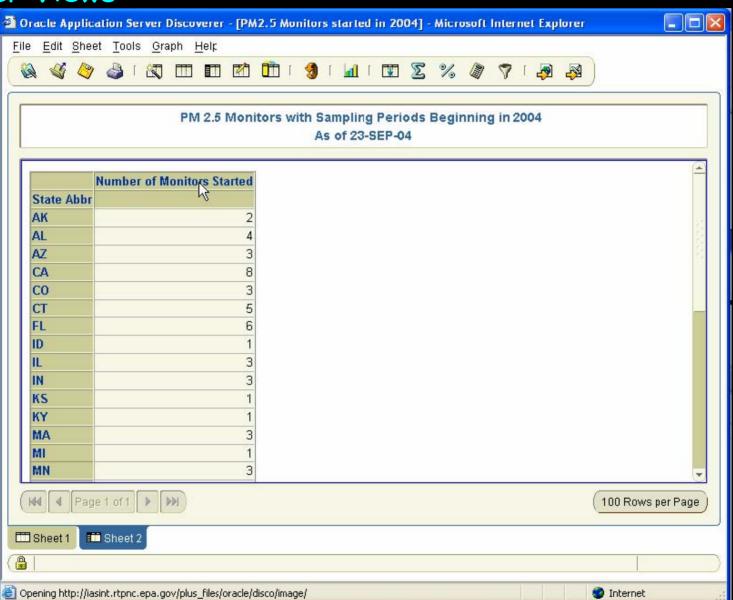




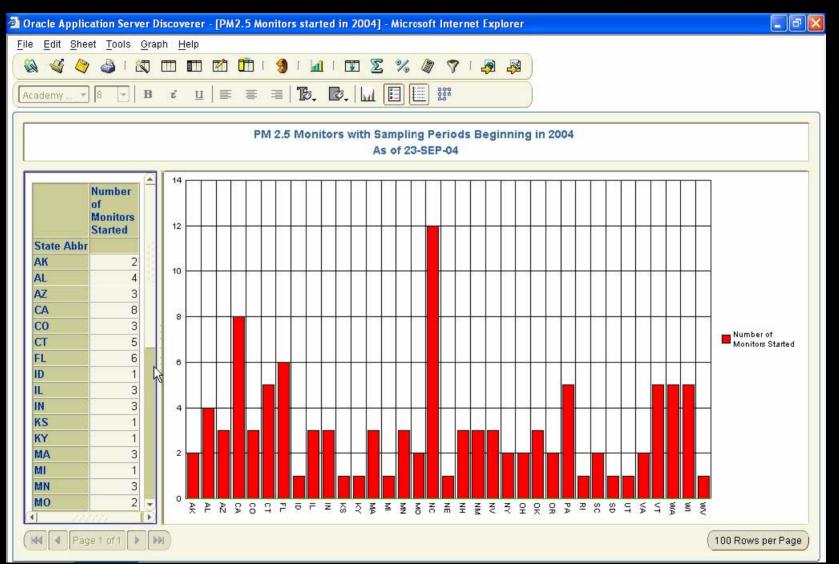
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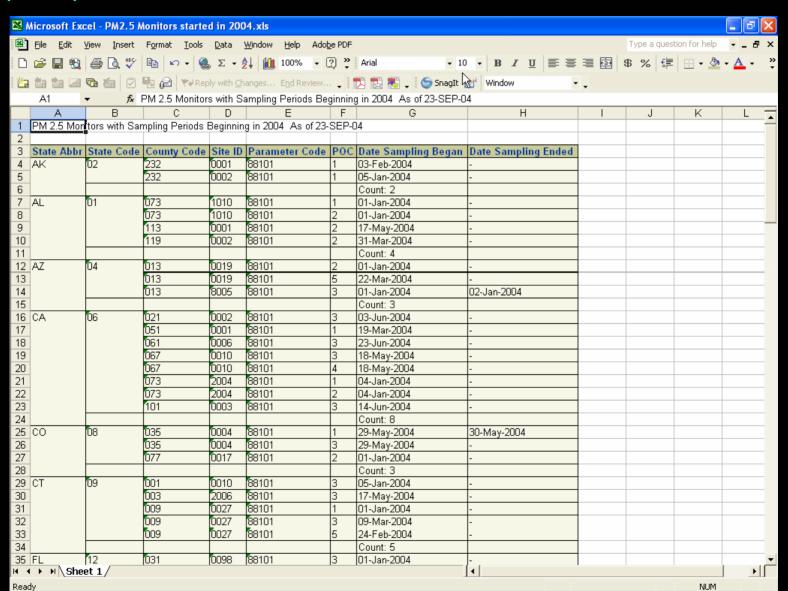
Other Views - Crosstab



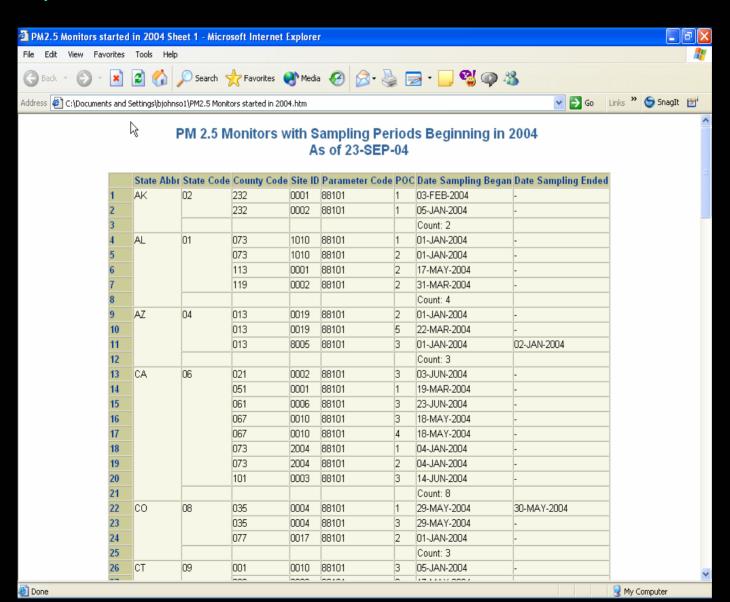
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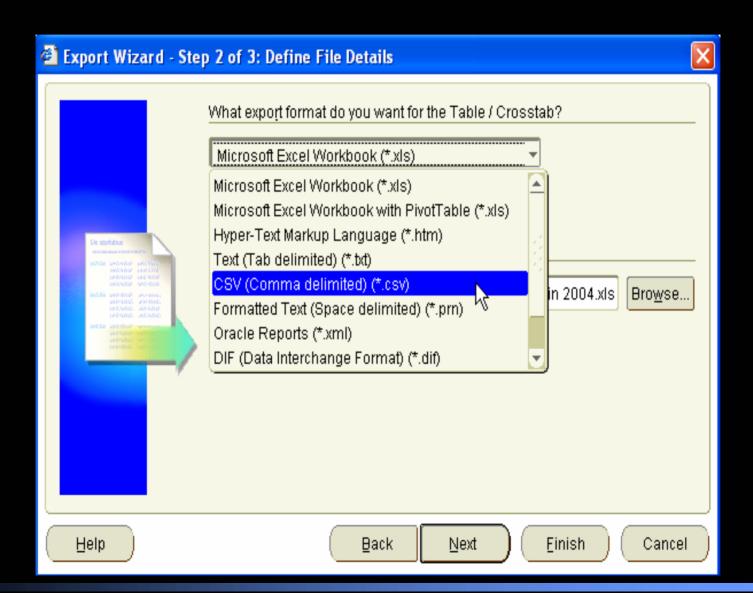
Output Options - Excel



Output Options - HTML



Other Output Options



Output Options

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